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## CONNECTICUT STATE POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY MERIDEN, CT.

### News Release

The Connecticut State Police and the American Legion Department of Connecticut are sponsoring the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual "Youth Week" from July 10<sup>th</sup> through July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2005, at the Connecticut State Police Training Academy in Meriden, Ct. There are 28 cadets taking part in the week long event which is designed to provide insight into the training, duties, and expectations of state police officers in Connecticut. The program is patterned after recruit training at the Connecticut State Police Training Academy, and offers an excellent opportunity for those individuals considering a career in law enforcement. The program is designed for high school students ranging in ages 16 through 18 years old. Cadets will participate in a variety of mentally and physically challenging instructional sessions, including patrol techniques, use of laser, accident investigations, emergency vehicle operation, firearms, and criminal investigations. Cadets will experience the daily activities of a recruit, including physical conditioning, daily inspections, and drill and ceremony. The Cadets are scheduled to graduate on Sunday July 17<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. at the Training Academy in Meriden.

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